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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): James J. deBlanc, et al.

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Application No.: 10/646,604

Examiner: Palmer, Phan T H

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Group Art Unit: 2874

Title: Optical Path with Electrical Conductive Cladding



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TOTAL CLAIMS	50	MINUS	33	= 17	X \$50	\$ 850
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	3	= 1	X \$200	\$ 200
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 1,050

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated APRIL 5, 2005, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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